

ATTENTION, HOMESTEADERS

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., July 15, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that John William Massie, of Thomas, New Mexico, who, on May 19, 1911, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 013288, for SE 1-4, Section 22, and SW 1-4, Section 23, Township 21N, Range 34E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 5th day of September, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: Frank E. Moore, Roy Bebb, John Homer, J. T. Riggs, all of Thomas, New Mexico.
7-21-8-4 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, July 15, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that John H. Terry, of Staunton, N. M., who, on Jan. 18, 1911, made homestead entry, Serial No. 012648, for NE 1-4 and NW 1-4, Section 25, Township 28N, Range 30E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 25th day of August, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: John V. Cogdill, and Newton C. Light of Greenville, N. M.; Morris E. Fuller and John M. Ferguson of Staunton, N. M.
7-17-8-21 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

NOTICE OF CONTEST

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Clayton, N. M., July 24, 1915.

To Clemente Padilla de Rios, of Bueyeros, N. M., Contestee:

You are hereby notified that Geo. Garcia, who gives Bueyeros, N. M., as his post-office address, did on 14th day of July, 1915, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead entries, Serial Nos. 014167 and 017743, made November 21, 1911, and April 10, 1914, for S 1-2 SE 1-4, SE 1-4 SW 1-4, Sec. 6, NW 1-4 NE 1-4, Sec. 7, Lot 7, Sec. 6, Lot 1, NE 1-4 NW 1-4, Section 7, Twp. 21N, Range 31E, N. M. P. Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that Clemente Padilla de Rios has abandoned said tract of land for years last past next prior to this affidavit of contest; that the entryman has failed to cultivate and improve said land as required by law, and said default still exists, and title to the land has not been earned.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be cancelled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the post-office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.
PAZ VALVERDE, Register.
Date of 1st publication July 24, 1915.
Date of 2nd publication July 31, 1915.
Date of 3rd publication Aug. 7, 1915.
Date of 4th publication Aug. 14, 1915.



The City Drug Store is the proper place to buy your drugs and drug sundries. Patronize our fountain, the best in northern New Mexico.

Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract Public Land Sale
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., June 28, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Frederick S. Hyatt, of Vance, N. M., Serial No. 019670, we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$1.50, per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 26th day of August, 1915, next, at this office, the following tract of land: NE 1-2 SW 1-4, Sec. 7, Twp. 23N, Range 36E, N. M. P. Meridian.
The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.
Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims or objections on or before the time designated for sale.
7-24-8-21 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Land Office
Tucumcari, N. M.
July 14, 1915.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the state of New Mexico, by virtue of acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898, and June 20, 1910, and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection lists for the following described lands:

List No. 6304—Serial No. 018659.
All of Section 21, T. 15N., R. 33E., N. M. P. Meridian, 640 acres.
List No. 6305—Serial No. 018660.
N 1-2 Sec. 22, and NW 1-4, Sec. 23, T. 15N., R. 33E., N. M. P. Meridian, 480 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or at any time thereafter, and before final approval and certificate.
7-24-8-21 R. P. DONOHOO, Register.

Bids Wanted

All persons are hereby notified that the County Commissioners of Union County will receive until the 9th day of August, 1915, sealed bids on the cost of replacing the present roof of the County Court House at Clayton, New Mexico, by a new tin roof. Said bids must be on a roof to conform to the specifications now on file in the office of the county clerk at Clayton, New Mexico. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond in double the contract price of the work, and contract before the contract is let. The County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
All bids will be opened at 2:00 p. m. on Monday, August 9th, by the Board of County Commissioners in session at the court house in Clayton, New Mexico.

SALOME GARCIA,
T. S. SNYDER,
MATIAS L. CASADOS,
County Commissioners.

Notice to Whom It May Concern.

In the Probate Court of Union County, New Mexico:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of J. H. Robinson, deceased, on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1915, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the said estate of J. H. Robinson, deceased, to present the same within the time prescribed by law, for the purpose of having same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
7-24-8-21 SAMUEL W. LYON,
Administrator or Executor
Clayton, New Mexico.

Notice to Whom It May Concern

In the Probate Court of Union County, New Mexico:

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having been duly appointed Executor of the estate of Manuelita Wolford, deceased, the 7th day of July, 1915, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the said estate of Manuelita Wolford, deceased, to present the same within the time prescribed by law, for the purpose of having same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Fredrick Wolford
Executor
Hayden, N. M.

Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract Public Land Sale

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M. June 30, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of James M. Corbin of Pennington, New Mexico, Serial No. 019389, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.00, per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 24th day of August, 1915, next, at this office the following tract of land: NE 1-4 SW 1-4, Sec. 28, T. 24N., R. 31E., N. M. P. M.
7-10-8-7 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, July 15, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Robert P. Ley, of Wanette, N. M., who, on Sept. 16, 1910, and Jan. 23, 1914, made homestead entries Serial Nos. 012115 and 017494, for Lot 1, Sec. 31, and Lot 3, 4, and NW 1-4 SW 1-4, Sec. 30, and SE 1-4 SW 1-4, Sec. 30, NE 1-4 NW 1-4, N 1-2 NE 1-4, Sec. 31, Township 23N, Range 36E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 24th day of August, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: John A. Becker, Clarence R. Alexander, Joseph M. Harder, John T. Ley, all of Wanette, N. M.
7-17-8-21 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton New Mexico, June 22, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Lenard Pettis, of Barney, N. M., who, on February 2, 1911, made homestead entry Serial No. 012769, for SE 1-4 NE 1-4, Sec. 22, T. 24N., R. 33E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edw. W. Fox, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Clayton, N. M., of the 9th day of August, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: William M. Evans, D. E. Benton, Candelario Archuleta, Isidoro Garcia, all of Barney, N. M.
7-10-8-7 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

Our stock of toilet preparations is complete, prices exactly right. We have it. City Drug Store.

Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract Public Land Sale

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, June 30, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of Green C. Toney, of Clayton, New Mexico, Serial No. 019446, we will offer, at public sale to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$1.75 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 24th day of August, 1915, next, at this office, the following tract of land: SW 1-4 of NW 1-4, Sec. 29, T. 24N., R. 36E., N. M. P. M.

The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.
Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.
7-24-8-21 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

For Trade

A nice little grocery store located in Altus, Oklahoma, just across the street from railroad depot, best location in town, stock invoices at about \$800.00. Daily sales about \$30 per day. Stock clean and up-to-date. Want to trade for an improved tract of land or relinquishment near Clayton, prefer land southwest of town. Reason for trading must get out in the open air. This is a good business proposition. Our cold drinks averaged \$12.00 per day so far this month. Don't answer unless you have something of value. Address Box 541, Altus, Oklahoma.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Tucumcari, New Mexico, June 29, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that the state of New Mexico, by virtue of acts of Congress approved June 21, 1898, and June 20, 1910, and acts supplementary and amendatory thereto, has filed in this office selection list for the following described land:

List No. 5846. Serial No. 018645.
N 1-2 and W 1-2 SW 1-4, Section 27, T. 15N., R. 33E., N. M. Mer., 400 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office during the period of publication hereof, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certificate.
7-10-8-7 R. P. Donohoo, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., June 29, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Sam P. D. Nesbitt, of Lone Wolf, Okla., who, on April 26, 1911, made homestead application, Serial No. 013195, for NE 1-4, Sec. 34, Twp. 24N., R. 34E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 13th day of August, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jake Spidel, B. F. McFarley, J. A. Stephenson, W. A. Bullard, all of Thomas, N. M.
7-10-8-7 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

New Overland automobile top for sale—\$30.00. Inquire
H. Herzstein Co.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

THE UNDERSIGNED TREASURER AND EX-OFFICIO COLLECTOR, for the County of Union, State of New Mexico, does hereby give public notice that he will on the 9th day of August, 1915, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the courthouse of said county of Union, in Clayton, offer for sale, separately and in consecutive order, each parcel of property upon which any taxes are delinquent, as shown by the tax rolls or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the respective amounts due, which sale will continue not later than four o'clock in the afternoon, and from day to day at the same hours, until all of said property shall have been sold or until the amounts due shall have been paid or realized.

The public is further notified that such sale will not continue for more than thirty days.

NESTOR C. de BACA,
Treasurer and Ex-Officio Coll.
By F. C. de BACA, Deputy.

No. 5715.
Report of the Condition of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
at Clayton, in the State of New Mexico,
at the close of business June 21, 1915

| Resources | |
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| Loans and discounts (notes held in bank) | \$ 274,334.69 |
| Overdrafts secured | 1.87 |
| U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | 50,000.00 |
| Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank | 15,400.00 |
| Less amount unpaid | 2,700.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 2,500.00 |
| Other real estate owned | 8,177.00 |
| Due from Federal Reserve Bank | 4,990.51 |
| Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis | 16,561.14 |
| Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities | 59,745.80 |
| Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 8 or 9) | 14,185.73 |
| Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | 238.42 |
| Outside checks and other cash items | 38.82 |
| Fractional currency, nickels, and cents | 118.20 |
| Total | 152.82 |
| Notes of other national banks | 1,500.00 |
| Lawful money reserve in bank | 14,856.80 |
| Legal tender notes | 2,000.00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation) | 2,500.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ 455,446.00 |
| Liabilities | |
| Capital stock paid in | \$ 75,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 15,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 6,564.98 |
| Circulating notes | 50,000.00 |
| Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit | 2,100.00 |
| Total | 47,900.00 |
| Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 8 or 9) | 5,839.51 |
| Deposits: | |
| Individual deposits subject to check | \$ 197,601.94 |
| Certificate of deposit due in less than 30 days | 11,588.25 |
| Certified checks | 16.79 |
| Total | 209,206.98 |
| Time deposits: | |
| Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days | 40,935.45 |
| Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed | 55,000.00 |
| TOTAL | \$ 455,446.00 |

State of New Mexico, County of Union.
I, D. W. Priestley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Correct—Attest:
H. J. HAMMOND,
FULGENCIO C. de BACA,
HERBERT J. HAMMOND, JR.
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 1915.
CHESTER R. KISER,
Notary Public.

3-10-17
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., June 26, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Maude Messenger, formerly Maude Fox, of Clayton, N. M., who, on August 6, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 011865, for W 1-2 SW 1-4, Sec. 24, W 1-2 NW 1-4, Sec. 25, Twp. 26N., R. 36E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 11th day of August, 1915.
Claimant names as witnesses: William Walters, Samuel Lyons, Harry S. Cox, Oscar L. Messenger, all of Clayton, N. M.
7-10-8-7 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

Belles-Lettres.

Two authors' wives were having tea together.

"My husband," said one, "often sits at his desk thinking and thinking and chewing his pen handle."

"As for my husband," said the other, "he has already gnawed off a corner of his typewriting machine."—New York Post.

MEAT AT 50 CENTS; SHOES \$10

Experts See This in Two Years Owing to Shortage in Cattle.

Chicago.—Meat at 50 cents a pound and shoes at \$10 a pair are possibilities in the next two years, in the opinion of government and stockyard experts after taking a census of the cattle in the country and finding the viable supply less than 35,000,000 head. As this includes calves, yearlings and full grown stock, the number of animals capable of breeding is reduced to an alarmingly deficient supply.

"Meat in America will be a rarity before the war ends, with its drain on our supply," said Henry J. Williamson, government statistician in the department of agriculture.

"Unless scientific breeding becomes general and the slaughter of calves ceases before five years have expired America will find herself in the class of European countries that have to look to importation to supply meat."

500,000 Canteens Ordered.

An order for 500,000 aluminum canteens for one of the belligerent nations of Europe was received by a manufacturing company in New Kensington, Pa. Several months will be required to fill the order, but shipments are to be made each week.

Prohibits Transfer of British Ships.

An order in council has been issued prohibiting the transfer of British ships to foreign register unless a license for the purpose is obtained from the British board of trade.

NOTICE

State Engineer's Office, Santa Fe, N. M., July 19th, 1915.

Number of Application 1009.

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of July, 1915, in accordance with Section 26, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907, John T. Brown, of Folsom, County of Union, State of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of New Mexico.

Such appropriation to be made from the Cimarron River, at a point whence the 1-4 section corner between sections 24 and 25, Township 31 North, Range 29 East, bears North 89 degrees 12 minutes West 2325 feet distant. The 1-4 section corner between Sections 20 and 21, Township 31 North, Range 30 East, bears from headgate No. 1 North 76 degrees 30 minutes East, 230 feet distant. From headgate No. 2 North 73 degrees East, 219 feet distant, by means of canals and diversion weirs, and 6.50 cu. ft. per sec. is to be conveyed to lands in Sections 19 and 20, Township 31 North, Range 30 East, N. M. P. M., by means of main canals and laterals, and there used for the irrigation of 455 acres and domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 18th day of October, 1915, the date set for the Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

JAMES A. FRENCH,
State Engineer.

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Denver, Colorado

All rubber goods, drugs and drug sundries at the City Drug Store.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, New Mexico, July 15, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Mary Harvey, formerly Mrs. Mary Pennell, widow of Livingston B. Pennell, deceased, of Clayton, New Mexico, who, on June 8, 1909, made homestead entry, Serial No. 08425, for W. 1-2 SW 1-4, Sec. 8, NW 1-4, and W 1-2 SW 1-4, Sec. 17, Township 29N., Range 34E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M., on the 24th day of August, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: George T. Anderson, W. F. Kendrick, A. Long, V. C. Hobbs, all of Clatskanie, N. M.
7-17-8-21 PAZ VALVERDE, Register.

Wanted

About two hundred head of cattle to pasture. Fine grass and running water. Ranch 8 miles south of Wheelless. Address C. A. Brynie, Wheelless, Okla. 29-21.

Advertised Letters

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Clayton, New Mexico, post-office:

Mrs. E. E. Reed.
A. E. Martin.
Mrs. Matilda Wooten.
W. B. Wilson.
Jose Morales.
Charley Morgan.
Newton Maer.
Frank Kirby.
Mrs. H. L. Kays.
M. J. P. Gill.
Earl Ellis.
Claude Ellis.
Muncie Harris.
S. V. Cissell.
Manuel A. Carillo.
Jessie Allen.
John R. Craig.

If not called for, they will be sent to the Division of Dead Letters on August 14th, 1915.

SUSIE S. PACE, Postmaster.

Let the "Harford" insure your growing crops against hail. Terms and rates reasonable. Fire, Lightning, Windstorm and Live Stock Insurance, also. Call or write,
H. C. McFadden, Agent,
Clayton, N. M.

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New Overland automobile top for sale—\$30.00. Inquire